CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION

GIVEN HIGHWAY AND TAX

PROBLEMS.

PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT

Want County Commissioners to Super

vise Inter-County Roads-To Be

Approved by State Department.

(By Denny Donovan.)

tion legislation are important subjects

for consideration by members of the

general assembly, though liquor traffic

measures also are expected to draw

considerable attention. Farmer mem-

bers of the legislature with some of

appointed two years ago.

the state highway department.

session here in the near future.

State Employes Get Too Much Pay.

Columbus. O .- Highway and taxa-

150,000 OF CZAR'S TROOPS ABAN-DON CAPITAL OF BUKOWINA IN WILD FLIGHT.

LOST IN POLAND?

Russian General Staff at Petrograd Tells of Bloody Struggle in Which Stain Are Numbered by Tens of Thousands-Gains Are Claimed.

Berlin, Feb. 12.-The Russians have on routed in Bukowina in the greatvictory yet won in any theater of Czernowitz, capital of Bukewina, has been evacuated by more ihan 100,000 Russians, the czar's ops fleeing in disorder, abandoning ammunition and food supplies The retreating troops, it is asserted. were saved from annihilation only by the arrival of fresh forces.

The Russians estimate that the grad correspondent of the Star.

Details of a desperate fight in the miralty's proclamation of a blockade argathian mountains with feroclous of the British Isles. et charges described as without ent in history reached Petro-

ording to these reports, repeatman attacks were finally reed by the Russians and the Gerdead lay in great numbers in at of the Russian positions. The es are described as enormous.

The scene of the fighting was Ball- nant at the forepeak. 6, 39 miles south of Sanok, in in It is claimed by the Russian staff that the Hungarian forces in the us have been augmented by D Germans and that German of m are now definitely directing the The report of the general staff fol-

With fresh troops they have been force and day they passed to the offenof Gorsele and Johannisburg They ertook active simultaneous operaas on the wings, namely, in the fine of Lasdehnen, where, in reng a German attack, we exter ost entirely one battalion, ng the Rypin, where our cav en concentrated, in the di-

stions, they would appear to have nds' of men in the six of fighting in front of Borlimow. In the Carpathians fighting contin-

cholks pass, made on Sunday 22 Sent attacks against the heights the region of Koziowa, which had an occupied by us. The Germans the heights, but was dislodged by our stry. The losses suffered by the rmans here were excessive and edent in history. The most any precedent in history. The

zzkow were also repulsed Later, in order to attack the postens at Koslowa, the Germans began trate again. During the Sunday they opened an irble offensive and this continued ing the next morning.

tion in great strength, captured tion and were only en dead. In front of one of our alions more than a thousand dead es were counted."

LONG FIGHT ON SHIP BILL

urs and 10 Minutes

Washington, Feb. 12.-The longest in the United States senate, ted against the president's Wednesday afternoon when an ent was ordered by a vote of 48 to 46. For 54 hours and ten minutes the opposition to the bill held be floor. The end came when Senam Nerris of Nebraska and Kenyon ed their intention to can fold. A moto adjourn was made and adopted the vote given. The filibuster holds lace among efforts of this char-The longest hitherto in the of the senate was 38 hours. to limit the operation of the ship

majority of the Republicans are it and will resume the fil-should the necessity arise.

ritz Executed by Germans? South Africa, Feb. 12 .- The rio News states Lieutenant Colnel Marity, who instigated the Boer on, has been executed by the on a charge of treachery. re is no confirmation of this report.

Held in \$7,500 Bank Fraud. rost, Mich., Feb. 13.-Adolph aged twenty-four, was areff at his home here on a charge as the Fort Dearborn Naal bank of Chicago of \$7,500 on a than anything in history. The Eng- Bartonville. The cause of the explocashier's check last May.

on, Feb. 11. - Presiden lison nominated David A. easter at Hartford, Conn.; orge F. Parrish at Toledo, O.; B. G. bean at Muskegon, Mich., and H. B. Snyder, Gary, Ind.

Priest and Servant Slain. New Britain, Conn., Feb. 11 -Rev. Father Joseph Zerbris of St. An-Brew's Lithuanian church here, and Miss Eva Gilman, his housekeeper, were murdered at the parochial resince on Monday.

\$21,000 Gift to Pope. me, Feb. 10 .- Mgr. Kennedy, recor of the American college in Rome, ented to Pope Benedict on Monafternoon a purse of \$21,000, the of the archbiahop and clergy of cago at the home of the bride's tenced to the penitentiary for seven

Refugees From War Zone. Faris, France, Feb. 10.-The minister of the interior, Louis J. Malvy, ansees that the number of refunees.

LUSITANIA USES EMBLEM TO SAFEGUARD AMERICANS.

Liner Warned by Steamer Baltic Captain Ready to Save Passengers.

London, Feb. 8 .- The British steam ship Lusitania of the Cunard line. which sailed from New York January 30 and arrived at Liverpool Saturday afternoon, flew the American flag from the time she passed Queenstown until she entered the Mersey. This is vouched for by American

passengers who crossed the Irish sea aboard the vessel. The Lusitania received a wireless message from the Baltic of the White Star line that two submarines had

been sighted from that vessel. Lusitania passengers who came on to London said the submarines were believed to be German vessels. and the action of the Lusitavia in hoisting the American flag was one repair lost 50 000 men in the battles effect of the newly announced policy ended Sunday," says a dispatch of Germany to sink all British merlved in London from the Petro- chantmen found within the sea "war zone" delimited in the German ad-

After the Lusitania was warned of submarines while off Queenstown Capt. Patrick Dow had the steamship's crew prepare lifeboats for instant use

Will Irwin, an American writer, says the Lusitania carried the regulation large American flag at the stern, with a small American flag and mail pen-

FLASHES OFF THE WIRE

Paris, Feb. 10.-The ministry of war announces that Pierre Leroy-Beaulieu, formerly a member of the chamber of deputies and son of the eminent economist. Paul Leroy-Beaulieu, has been missing since the battle

Amsterdam, via London, Feb. 1 The German postal authorities have nounced that the German wireless system may no longer be used for the ission of private messages This interdiction applies even to private messages intended for warships

and other vessels at sea. Fire Island, Feb. 8.-Twenty-one embers of the crew of the British bark Hougomount, which went aground in a dense fog, have been brought to shore here in a breeches buoy. Seven others, including Captain McDonald, refused to leave the

RUSS FLEE FROM BUKOWINA

Czar's Troops Evacuate Austrian Province When Germans Threaten to Isolate Them.

Bucharest, Feb. 10 .- French particuare to the effect that the Russians are commencing the evacuation of that province for strategic reasons. The Austro-German armies threaten the Russians with the alternative of isolation or the complete evacuation of Bukowina

Petrograd, Feb. 10.—The Russians who are progressing victoriously through the Dukla, Mezo-Laborch and Usok passes, menace the enemy's forces for a distance of nearly one hundred miles.

JAMES C. FARGO IS DEAD Once President of American, National and Westcott Express Companies,

Passes Away at 86. New York, Feb. 10 .- James C. Fargo for many years known as the forenost express official in America died on Monday night at his home in his eighty-sixth year. He was president of the American Express company. the National Express company and the Westcott Express company from 1881 until he retired in June, 1914.

at fifteen in Buffalo. POST OFFICE BILL REPORTED Measure Appropriating \$317,948,869 Is Presented to Senate-Experi-

Mr. Fargo was born at Pompey, N

mental Work Cut. Washington, Feb. 10.-Carrying a toof \$317,948,869, \$3,770,105 less than the estimates submitted by the posioffice department, the annual post office appropriation bill was reported to the senate on Monday by the senate committee on post offices and pos roads. The experimental work of de livery of letters in villages begun three years ago will cost only \$150. 000 this year. This house Vill proposes \$200,000 for this item

Ohio Bank Robber Killed. Cincinnati, O., Feb. 12.-One robber was shot and killed and a second was captured and \$700 in cash recovered after a raid on the Mohawk German Banking and Saving company. Cashler Cross resisted the robbers

Big Slaughter of Turks. London, Feb. 12 .- A dispatch from Cairo states that the slaughter of the lish are still burying the dead.

Washington, Feb. 11. - President Wilson on Tuesday emphasized that geon in the French army, was deco-Col. E. M. House, his close personal rated with the cross of the Legion of friend, had not gone to Europe to seek | Honor, after having been several times to bring about peace as his personal mentioned in the orders of the day. representative

Hamburg Raises \$3,000,000 Fund. Hamburg, Feb. 11.-The council has appropriated 12,000,000 marks (\$3,000. 000) with which to purchase a supply of foodstuffs, fodder and other ar- the Ruhleben detention camp Februticles, so that the city may be pre- ary 4 on account of being a Canadian pared for emergencies

Field Weds Miss Marshall, New York, Feb. 9 .- Miss Evelyn Marshall, only daughter of the late Charles H. Marshall, was married on Saturday to Marshall Field III of Chi. terms in many prisons, was sen-

mother, 6 East Seventy-seventh street. | years for picking pockets. British Trade Hard Hit. London, Feb. 9 .- The effect of the war on British trade again 's apparent in the figures given out by the board way from Australia to England, is ther in Belgium or invaded France of trade for the month of January, expected in New York in a few days, ture of life in Berlin. The municisepartments, number approximately Imports decreased \$3,020,000 and ex- where she will undergo an operation palities of greater Berlin voted unaniports decreased by \$97,790,000.

TEUTONS ROUT RUSS SHIP FLIES U. S. FLAG PACKERS ARE FINED ITALY HOLDS TROOPS TWO SUBJECTS

MISSOURI TRIBUNAL RULES AR-MOUR, SWIFT AND MORRIS VIO-LATED ANTITRUST LAW.

MUST PAY \$25,000 EACH

Decision Says That Law Against Trusts Was Violated by Organiza-Agreement in Buying and Selling.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 11.-The packing firms of Armour & Co., Swift & Co., the St. Louis Dressed Beef and Provision company, the Hammond Packing company and Morris & Co. were found guilty on Tuesday of violating the state antitrust law by the Missouri supreme court. An order of custer was issued, but the companies are allowed to remain in the state on payment of fines. Each company was fined \$25,000. To

stay in the state each company must pay its fine by March 11, 1915. The ouster suit against the so-called beef trust" was filed by Governor Major when he was attorney general. Daniel Dillon of St. Louis was appoint ed commissioner to take testimony in the case and he reported to the su preme court that the companies had

in the supreme court more than a year The supreme court ruled that the antitrust law was violated by the ac quirement of the National Packing company and the St Louis Dressed seef and Provision company. The National Packing company was organized by the Armour, Swift and Morris com

The opinion says that the Nationa Packing company became a holding ompany for the five packing comanles named and directed them. fixing the price for dressed meats. Judge Bond dissented from ordering fine, though he concurred in the

the order during good behavior.

U. S. Inspector to Guam, P. I., to Quiz Post Office-Takes Wife for "Second Honeymoon."

Washington, Feb. 8 .- After having the post office department.

The inspection, which will require tion. from that point proceed on a small lest men in the United States. inter-island steamer which makes monthly trips from and to Guam. Mr. Smith says it will be a "sec

ond honeymoon" for him and his wife. AUSTRIANS PUT TO FLIGHT

Attempt to Force Passage Across Roumanian Territory, in Danube Valley, Ends Disastrously.

Paris, Feb. 10.-Austrian troops are reported to have violated Roumanian neutrality by attempting to force a passage across Roumanian territory. in the Danube valley, twenty miles east of the Iron Gate. A dispatch to the Journal states that fighting followed in which the Austrians were put to flight. The Journal correspondent says that the Austrians opened fire upon the Roumanian guards near Turnu Ceverin, but that the Roumanian forces, being re-enforced, drove back the Austrians, who took their wounded with them.

Y., and entered the express business EMBARGO IS LIFTED BY U. S.

Stockyards at Chicago Resume Shipments-Pittsburgh, Indianapolis and Other Cities Closed.

Chicago, Feb. 9. - The embargo against outgoing interstate shipments of live stock from the Union Stockyards because of the hoof-and-mouth disease was lifted Saturday night. Shipments of live stock to the eastern markets, which have been suspended for two weeks, will be resumed While the order permits the Chicago

yards to reopen, it closes those at Pittsburgh, Columbus, Louisville, Indianapolis, Buffalo, Cincinnati and Jersey City against interstate shipments after shipments now in transit have been disposed of,

Indiana Postmaster Arrested. Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 12.-Postnaster Reuben N. Robertson of Waverly, Ind., was arrested, charged with embezzlement. Four separate offenses are charged, the amount in each instance being more than \$1,000.

Killed In Illinois Mine Explosion. Peoria III. Feb. 12.-One mar 1 dead and another is dying as the re-Turkish troops in the recent fighting suit of an explosion in the mine of at the Suez canal was more terrible the Collier Coal company at South sion is not known.

> Surgeon Is Decorated. He was wounded 97 times.

American Is Released. Berlin Feb. 10,-A. W. Derrick, vice president of the American Association of Commerce and Trade, interned at by birth, was released Monday,

"Fainting Bertha" Jailed Again. Omaha, Neb., Feb. 9 .- "Fainting Bertha" Liebke, the most widely known woman crook, who has served

Ellen Terry's Eves Ail. New York, Feb. 9.-Ellen Terry. who is now in Philadelphia on her mously to adopt the measure. for cataracts on the eyes.

SOLDIERS OF SECOND CATEGORY RETAINED UNDER COLORS.

Export of Preserved and Fresh Meats Prohibited by Royal Edict.

Rome, Feb. 10 .- A royal decree orders that the soldiers of the second category classes of 1893 and 1894 tion of National Packing Co. and who should have returned home, shall now be retained under the colors until May 31, 1915

> A royal decree issued on Monday prohibits the exportation of fresh or preserved pork and other preserved meat, chestnuts, fowl, oi! fat and tallow The decree, with the former roya' decree prohibiting exports of certain other goods, completes the ban on the exportation of anything which might be used as food for man or beast

Deputy Altobelli, in a formal interpellation in the chamber of deputies their colleagues who are not residents asked Premier Salandra to ascertain of the rural districts, may argue for the foundation for the grave reports | radical amendments to the proposed circulated concerning the illicit inter administration bill for reorganization ference by an ambassador of a foreign power in the parliamentary life of our country, with a view to obtaining a change in our foreign pol-

METHODIST BOOK HEAD QUITS violated the law. The case was argued

> John A. Patten of Chattanooga Wants to Spare Church in Trial of His Libel Suits.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 9 .- John A. Patten, president of the Methodist Book concern, resigned from all general offices he holds in the Methodist Episcopal church on Saturday with the announced purpose of "saving the denomination from possible embarrassment" in connection with libel suits he has pending against a Chicago med hereby destroying competition and ical periodical and a New York weekly Journal. Patten is a manufacture of a patent medicine. The American Medical association has denounced it udgment of ouster. He held, however, as a typical patent medicine fraud, that as the National Packing com- and there have been various unsuc pany has been dissolved, the ends of cessful efforts in Methodist conferjustice could be met by decreeing an ences to get Patten out of his official ouster, and staying the execution of connection with his church because of his medicine.

GOES 25,000 MILES TO WORK NORMAN B. REAM IS DEAD

Former Chicagoan, Widely Known as Financier, Succumt_ in New York -One of the Wealthiest 25.

salary of \$125 a year. Postmaster emerge triumphant from the fire of day as the result of an opera-The financier and capitalist had from San Francisco to Manila and He was rated as one of the 25 wealth- called upon to perform.

> TEUTONS BREAK FRENCH LINE Germans Victors in Two-Day Battle at

Bagatelle-'Allies in Second Trenches. London, Feb. 10 .- Bagatelle, held by tack early on the morning of Sunday. The battle was kept up all night by massed columns the French demans swarmed over scattered sections of the first line of trenches and held them. The French fell back to the second line works.

BRESLAU FIRES ON YALTA Steamers and Schooners Flying Turk ish Flag Are Sunk in

Black Sea by Russ. Petrograd, Feb. 11.-The former German cruiser Breslau has shelled the fashionable seacoast town of Yalta, in the Crimea, in the Russian government of Taurida. The cruiser badly damaged the Hotel de Russie and four mercantile establishments No one was killed. In retaliation the Russian Black sea fleet bombarded the Turkish city of Trebizond on the Black sea. A half dozen Turkish stramers full laden were sunk and much damage caused to the forts. A schooner flying the Turkish flag and loaded with foodstuffs near Cape Yeres was also destroyed.

Suffrage Amendment Wins. Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 11.-The resolution to submit to the electors the woman suffrage amendment to the constitution was passed finally in the house by a vote of 130 to 71. The resolution now goes to the senate.

Prince of Austria is Born. Vienna, Austria, via London, Feb. 11. -Princess Zita of Parma, wife of Archduke Charles Francis, heir apparent to the throne, gave birth to a son. They were married in 1911 and have two other children.

More Rioting at Prague.

Ald Societies Take Notice. The Hague, Feb. 10.-Disorders are Gov. Willis again urged that the reported from Prague, where the arpublic send food, fuel and clothing to rest of Czech students and journalists have irritated the population. At tempts were made to kill prominent politicians in Bohemia. German Airship Shot Down. Paris, France, Feb. 10.-A dispatch from Dunkirk received by the Havre News agency says that a German aeroplane which flew over Dunkirk was

could do any harm of the necessities of life." Man Slave Married Woman. Chicago, Reb. 9 .- "You have got to My younger brother took it upon latter from the Latin mobilis, adverb, love me," shouted Vincent Larretto, an himself to teach a small boy how to movable. This is originally derived Italian, as he drew a revolver and count. After repeating the numbers fired five shots. Four of them struck Mrs. H. W. Fissel, killing her almost instantly. Larretto escaped. holding up one finger. "A dirty fing-

er" was the answer -- Erchange Berlin, Feb. 9.-Bread tickets on Origin of Automobile. which a weekly quota of bread or The word automobile comes from fluor can be drawn will soon be a feamobile. The former is derived from of five men.

four years for nothing.

Panama Commissioners Appointed.

Gov. Frank B. Willis has put three

Doubt as to which of the large number of editors would be appointed State Supervisor of Public OF IMPORTANCE Printing was removed when Gov. Frank B. Willis announced the name of J. E. Cross, of Portsmouth, to succeed Frank Harper, of Mt. Vernon, who insisted upon being relieved at once. The position pays \$2,000 a year. Its abolishment may be recommended

Willis Makes Appointments

by the joint Legislative Economy Com mittee. Cross has not long been resident of Portsmouth. He went there from West Union, Adams county, where, oddly enough, he ran the opposition paper in competition with E. A. Crawford, who was supervisor under former Gov. Harmon and who, after his dismissal by former Gov. Cox became the head of the True Democ racy League and supported Gov. Wil lis. There was talk that Crawford might be appointed to his old place,

which now goes to his journalistic and political foe for many years. -Boyle Lands Position.

Gov. Willis has appointed James Boyle to succeed Chris Pabst, of Hamilton, as a member of the state tax commission; and J. H. McGiffert, of Ashtabula, to succeed F. E. Munn, of Bowling Green. The attorney general advised the governor that appointof the state highway department and ments to this commission must be confirmed by the senate and under this enactment of a part of the road code ruling there were vacancies. By the reported by the special commissioner appointment of McGiffert and Boyle. manager of the Republican State Press These legislators, is was said, will Bureau, during the last campaign, as probably ask for an amendment which members of the state tax commission, would turn over to the county com-Gov. Willis has changed the political missioners supervision of the building of intercounty roads and confine the complexion of that body from Democratic to Republican and defied the construction operations of the state contention of Gov. Cox and the former highway department to the building of main market roads. The proposed Democratic administration that new samendment, however, probably will appointments could not be made.

Home Trustees

contain a provision requiring that intercounty road plans be approved by Vacancies in the Board of Trustees of the State Soldiers and Sailors Or-The highway measure, which is said phans' Home, at Xenia, were filled by would give the highway department the appointment of William V. McMacontrol of road funds and the build- ken, of Toledo, and A. S. Frazer, of ing of both intercounty and market Greene county. The former succeeds roads, according to the understanding Harry Quine, of Akron, and is Brigaof the farmer members. The house dier General in the Ohio National taxation committee is expected to ar- Guard. Quine, who was named by forrange a hearing on taxation bills for mer Gov. Harmon, was prominent as the benefit of members of the Ohio an officer of the Spanish-American Municipal League which will be in War Veteran Association.

Fifty-six Paroles Granted.

The State Board of Administration Most of the state employes holding in passing on 138 applications, granted clerical positions at salaries from 56 paroles and 17 final releases. The \$1,500 to \$3,000 a year could not get paroles granted include: Alexander more than \$1,200 to \$1,400 for doing Lowrie, Montgomery; Arthur Wilthe same work with private concerns liams, Ross; Martin McGinnis, Mus-K. McKinley, efficiency engineer of the kingum; John Jennings, Muskingum; state civil service commission, told Charles Kirkpatrick, Scioto; J. J. Mathe Howard department survey com- loney, Lorain; William Harris, Hammission. Cases are enumerated, Mr. ilton; William Bester, Lawrence; McKinley said, where persons are Noah Collins, Allen; Harry Stephens, enjoyed for a period of seven years Ream, one of the aggressive group given state positions at salaries of \$75 Allen; Dick Weston, Allen; Don Fothe undisturbed administration of the of men who supplied the faith and a month when they were earning not ley, Allen; Mike Farnacia, Cuyahoga; post office of Guam, P. I., and his hope which enabled Chicago to more than \$7 to \$10 a week working Frank Jaynes, Jackson; Steve Pete, for a private concern. Those getting Erie; John Janion, Erie; C. DeGen-Duarte is about to be inspected by 1871, died in a hospital here on Tues- \$75 a month working for private con- naro, Mahoning; Elmer Johnson, cerns get \$150 a month for doing the Greene; William Harris, Scioto; Masame kind of work for the state, he thias Conrad, Mahoning; Charles about half a day's work, there being lived in New York for many years, but added. The state insurance depart- Wise, Summit; Joseph Miller, Medina; charges against Postmaster was well known in Chicago, where he ment, however, was given practically Pete Rothfuss, Summit; Albert Berg-Duarte, will involve for Inspector E. was a director of the First National a clean bill by Mr. McKinley. Instead mier, Defiance; Andrew Ralph, Ful-P. Smith a trip of 25,000 miles and bank and the Pullman company. An of employes being overpaid in this deton; Dee Preston, Montgomery; Pearl for a shipping bill which would limit about three months' time. Accom- estimate of Mr. Ream's fortune made partment, he said, they were consid- C. Miller, Hancock; James Blevins, to a period of two years the governpanied by Mrs. Smith, the inspector in the financial district placed it at erably underpaid, in most instances, Scioto; John Frejes, Lorain; Charles will sail on a government transport between \$50,000,000 and \$75,000,000. for the class of work which they are Herrick, Huron; James Turner, Hamilton.

Ohio Building at Expo. About Ready. Live Stock Industry Threatened. Work will be completed and the "Our live stock industry is threat-Ohio building at the Panama exposi- ened as it never has been threatened tion at San Francisco exposition before," declared Dean D. S. White ready for acceptance by the latter part of the college of veterinary medicine of February, according to Architect of the Ohio State university, address-Albert Pretzinger, of this city, who ing the "Farmers' Week" session at drafted the plans and specifications the university. "The Foot and Mouth the French, is the scene of a big for it. Plans have been completed for Disease" was his subject. "The epibattle. German forces opened the at- a trip to the exposition in a private demic appears to be headed off, but car by the members of the Ohio com- when warm weather comes again then Drive after drive was made against mission, accompanied by Newton W. is the time to look out," he said. "Now the French lines without effect. At Miller, the new directing commission- is the time to exterminate the disease dusk the French were still holding. er, in two weeks from Monday. Daniel once for all. To try to hide cases now B. Torpy, of Marietta, who has been is nothing less than treason to the both armies. When dawn came the directing commissioner, but who now interest of all. If we do not succeed German infantry made their most vig- has been made a member of the com- in eradicating the foot and mouth disorous assault. Before the onrushing, mission, left for the exposition city ease its devastation will be greater to get things in readiness for the ac- than that of hog cholera to the farmferders wavered, then broke. The Ger ceptance of the building by the com- ers of this country." C. G. Williams, mission. The employes appointed by of the Ohio experiment station, told the commission for the building are the farmers that "Ohio ought to be now arranging to leave in a body for averaging 80 bushels to the acre in-San Francisco in order to get special stead of a mere 30 bushels."

Only One Day for the Voters to Regis

Investigating Alleged Extravagances. ter Next Fall. Surprises may be met by the There will be one day of registration Howard Joint Committee which is in- next fall, and it will be the last, acvestigating alleged extravagances in cording to the bill on which the senate the state government and abolition of committee on privileges and elections offices that have been referred to as is working. This registration, accorduseless. It is expected that one of the ing to Senator Wickline, the commitfirst will come from Budget Commis- tee's chairman, will cost about \$170, sioner W. O. Heffernan, whose depart- 000, and that will end the expense. ment itself is to be the subject of an It costs about as much every two investigation. If the state board of years under the present system. The administration is gone into it is said proposed registration day likely will that the committee will find that the be set for October. Then every man state institutions, with augmented and woman in the state qualified to populations, now cost less than they vote shall register at the precinct redid when Andrew L. Harris was gov- gistration booths. After that general The board's consulting en- registration ends forever. Besides gineer, H. Sterling Riddle, who has changing the registration the bill will been receiving \$3,000 a year, will make cut the boards of elections from four an offer to the committee to work for to two members and the judges of election from six to four.

Newspaper Editor Appointed Trustee Gov. Willis appointed John Kaiser. new commissioners on the Ohio com- of Marietta, newspaper editor, to be mission that is to manage the Panama- trustee of the Ohio State University, Pacific exposition affairs of Ohio. One in place of William F. Burdell, of Coport, R. I., was sponser for the was to fill a vacancy, the other two lumbus, who had been appointed, but were additional members permitted who declined. Mr. Kaiser is a graduunder the law. Two of the men named ate of Marietta College, and has been are farmers, and are put on to repre- interested in educational work for sent the agricultural interests of the some time. He is a member of the state, so it was stated. Postmaster state commission for the blind, but John L. Shuff, of Cincinnati, was drop- will resign this place. It was said at ped from the list because his business the governor's office Mr. Kaiser will affairs had made it impossible for him be reappointed when his term expires to attend the gathering in the past. May 12, 1915.

Say Miller Made Error.

Columbus.-Unless the Ohio comthousands of destitute coal miners and missioners to the Panama-Pacific extheir families in Southern Ohio. A position obey the state civil service relief committee has been organized, law, the state civil service commission with headquarters at Glouster, to look will refuse to approve the payroll of after the distribution of the contributions. "Food sent to this committee serve at the Ohio building, San Franwill be judicially distributed to hungry cisco. The state civil service com women and children," said the gover- mission has protested to Newton Milnor. "Because of the lack of employ- ler, of this city, whom Governor Willis brought down by cannon fire before it ment, through the industrial depres- last week appointed to succeed Daniel sion, many families are in actual need B. Torpy, of Marietta, as chief commissioner.

> from the Latin verb, moveo, movero. from one to ten he decided to test his movi, motus, meaning to move. We pupil. "Now, what's this?" he asked, are unable to say who first suggested the name for self-propelled vehicles.

the Greek autos, meaning self, and the

At the Church of the Sacred Heart in Paris a 20-ton bell is tolled by two words; one Greek and the other electricity. A choir boy does the work Latin. The two words are auto and which formerly required the services coive of the Wabash railroad.

NO COMPROMISE

President Wilson to Stand Pat on Measure.

MAY APPEAL TO THE PEOPLE

Extra Session of Congress May Be Called to Pass on Act If Senate Defeats It-Lane's Appointment le Significant.

Washington, Feb. 2.-President Wilson will stand pat on the ship-purchase bill, acording to an announcement made at the White House. No compromise will be acceptable and the Gore bill as it now stands will be adhered to by the administration until the end. If necessary the president "will go to the country on it.' If the measure is defeated at the

present session of the senate, an extra session probably will be called to pass it. Action in the house is now being considered as a result of a conference held by President Wilson with Sens-

tors Fletcher and Simmons and Representative Kitchin, the majority leader in the next house. Lane's Appointment Significant. It was deemed significant when I was announced that Secretary of the Interior Lane had been delegated by President Wilson to attend the formal

opening of the San Francisco exposi-He will leave Washington for the coast next Monday night. This was taken to mean that the president, now seeing an extra session inevitable, has given up all hopes of attending the San Francisco fair himself. This view was not confirmed at the White House

however. To Transfer Fight to House. Following the announcement from the White House Senator Fletcher of Florida, in charge of the bill in the senate, stated that the administration plan would be to immediately transfer the fight to the house.

The leaders in the house said that if the shipping bill were brought up there it would be passed next week and that a special rule would be used to insure its adoption. Senator Fletcher said that the

Weeks naval bill already passed by the senate will be amended in the house to become the shipping bill. He added, "Meanwhile the opposition has the votes to set aside present consideration of the ship purchase bill in the senate.

Senator Norris of Nebraska who holds the balance of power between the two sides in the upper house, said he would favor taking up the convict labor bill or one of the appropriation

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts ex pressed the belief that some of the close of the European war.

OVER 50 TURK SHIPS SUNK

Heavy Damage Caused by Russia Fleet in Black Sea-Important Bridges Destroyed Petrograd, Feb. 12 -- More than fit. ty Turkish sailing vessels have been sunk by the Russian fleet in the Black sea during its recent operations it was officially announced at the admiralty. At Trebizond, which was bombarded on February 8, heavy dam age was caused by the Russian warships, which succeeded in smashing

three batteries operated by Ottoman gunners defending the port. The entire shore of Asia Minor be tween Platana and Riza, a distance of over sixty miles, has been shelled by the Russians and three important

bridges destroyed. BRITISH SHIP IS ATTACKED

German Submarine Launches Tornede Against Steamer Laertes-Vessel Escapes.

London, Feb. 12.-An Exchange Telegram dispatch from Amsterdam says the British steamer Lacrtes was attacked off Maas lightship by the German submarine U-2. A torpedo was launched by the submarine, and bullets from a quick-firing gun rained on the funnel of the Lacrtes. The Lacrtes hoisted the Dutch flag to protect neu tral passengers, increased its speed and outdistanced the submarine.

Awaits Expelled Spanish Minister.

Washington, Feb. 12.-Jos Caro,

Spanish minister to Mexico, has been

expelled from Mexico by General Car-

ranza. The U. S. battleship Delaware awaits at Vera Cruz to offer refuge. Launches Two War Vessels. Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 12.-The toroede destroyer Winslow was launched at the Cramp shippards. Miss Natalie Emelie Winslow, daughter of Rear Ad miral Cameron M. R. Winslow, New

Bittler Receipts for State Cash. Indianapolis, Feb. 12.-George A Bittler, the new state treasurer, gave W. H. Vollmer, retiring treasurer, a receipt for \$1,337,459.28, amount of state money turned over to him.

Was in Dutch Waters. The Hague, Feb. 12.-The Dutch au thorities will make an inquiry into the attempt of the German submarine U-2 to terpedo the steamship Laertes as it is suggested that the attempt was made inside the Dutch territorial waters.

Red Cross Ship Sunk by Bussians. Berlin, Feb. 12 .- A Constantinople dispatch says that the Russians on February 8 sunk the steamer Wash ington, sailing under the American of creed and formula but a life; it is flag.

Bind Officials with Suspenders. Antelope, Mont., Feb. 12.-Bound fast to chairs with their suspenders the cashier and assistant cashier of the Farmers' State bank at Medicine Lake Mont were compelled to witness leoting of the bank by two robbers who escaped with \$2,500.

New Receiver for the Wabash. St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 12.-Edward F. and Pacific railroad was appointed re-

INTERNATIONAL ON SHIP BILL SUNDAY SCHOOL

LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 21

THE DEATH OF ELI AND HIS SONS

LESSON TEXT-I Samuel 4:1-13, 18. GOLDEN TEXT-Be ye deers of the word, and not hearers only, deluding your own selves .- James 1:22 R. V.

The Philistines in the days of Ell overran Israel pretty much at will All Israel, God's people, soon knew that God was speaking through this

I. No Help at Ebenezer, vv. 1, 2. Eb enezer was that place where Samuel later set up the stones of commemo ration (I Samuel 7:12). Here the aggressive Philistines overcame and put to rout the Israelites. Israel had sinned and needed correction (chapter 7:3; Ps. 106:40, 41). When God's people neglect him they weaken themselves and easily become the prey of their enemies. Full often the church of today stands defeated and disgraced, nay even turns its back to the enemy, because it harbors sin and sinners in its ranks (Josh. 7:12). II. Seeking Help, vv. 3-9. If Israel really desired to know the cause of

their discomfiture they did not need to go far to seek it. The trouble was that they were not willing to see and own it (I. Cor. 11:31). The reasoning upon the part of these elders seems to be, "Why have we, Israelites, been smitten by these Philistines who are not God's chosen people?" It was absurd and unjust for them to have to suffer. We hear this same sort of reasoning today, whereas God would have us probe deeper and search our hearts, for if we regard iniquity in our hearts the Lord will not hear us. At Shiloh, Ell is caring for the ark. and with the fatalism and superstition that will govern the ungodly, Israel sends for it "that it may save us" (v. 3). The ark contained the tables of the law and was the symbol of the presence of God (Ex. 25:10-22). Their trust was in the ark and not in the God of the ark. Such is ever the danger of formalism in religion. To carry the ark about Jericho trusting in Jehovah, was quite different from harboring the sons of Eli, yet thinking that God could not let the ark be captured. The churches of our land are the saving salt, but "if the salt hath lost its savour," if Hophni and hinehas bear the ark, nothing but though the enemy may tremble (v. 8). The Philistines were strong enough to smite because of the weakness Israel. They recognized the shouts and remembered the mighty deeds of Jehovah, which exploits would have been repeated had Israel truly turned to God. There was good reason for the Philistines to fear. But God was not on the side of Israel at that time., selves. Their call (v. 9) was a good one and was used later by Paul (1 Cor. 16:13). For them not to do anything

have availed but little, had God been with his chosen people at that time III. The Lost Battle, vv. 10-11, God would not succor his chosen people nor defend the symbols of religion when the spirit and heart of that religion had departed (Ps. 78:56-64) The two reprobate sons of Eli were slain as a punishment for their sins and in fullfillment of the word of God (chapter 2:12: 3:13, 14). Their punshment came in connection with the same holy service they had defiled. These bad sons of a good father abused their holy office, profaned the sanctuary and brought the true religion into contempt with the neonle Eli was partly at fault but these young men suffered the fate of those "who hate knowledge" and will "not choose the fear of the Lord," and their removal was a blessing for Israel which somewhat compensated for its defeat. Doubtless the Philistines boasted when they took the ark from the people of God, but chapters five

was to be captured by their former

slaves. If they fought, they could but

die. Such fatalistic ceurage would

mistake. IV. The Death of Ell. vv. 12-18. The aged Eli, now ninety-eight years old. was anxiously awaiting news of the battle, "for his heart trembled for the ark of God." This anxiety was quite unnecessary (v. 13). God can take care of his ark. Ell had reason, however, to tremble for Israel and his wicked sons. He is an illustration of those indulgent parents who refuse to use discipline in the care of their children. A lovable character cannot atone for weakness nor will remon-strance, after habits are firmly fixed, take the place of bringing up the young children aright. Ell's sens were in positions of power, steeped in wickedness, and his words were ineffectual for they carried with them no note of authority. It is the careless, shifty, insincere parent who has no sense of the reality and authority of God, of

and six contain the record of their

the persistence and penalty of sin, that is a menace to the land The ark did not return to Shiloh After its various vicissitudes it found an abiding place in the house of Abinadab, whose son Eleazar was sancti fied to take charge of it. Later it was taken to Jerusalem, and in the meantime Shiloh passed into oblivion. Two bad boys from a godly home, ruined not only themselves, but their father and his family, and their home

town as well. The Golden Text. That we learn to do by doing is a fundamental principle in pedagogy. Mere kuman words do not change character. Youth does not acquire purity of character by listening to beautiful statements about the virtues. Religion is not a last resource. It must be practiced in youth if it is to give strength, courage and comfort in old age. It is not a matter not a convenience but a corrse of action that governs all of life.

It is not the turning in life's testing times, to those forms from which all life has departed. Parents today seem to be lax in discipline. Too often it is the child

that brings up the parent. We need to accustom the child to virtue and obedience, to teach him truth while at the knee, that when "he is old he may not depart" therefrom. While some children of good parents go astray yet this is not the rule. A true Kearney, acting resident of the Texas | Christian atmosphere and spirit of service in the home, the Sunday school and the church are the greatest possible safeguards for the young.